



HOMeward BOUND THEATRE COMPANY

"Teens to Teens" Outreach

A Performing Arts Organization to Creatively Impact Our Communities

"*Harsh Reality*" features five stereotypical teens to which everyone can relate. This three day "reality TV game-show" forces the character to confront bullying, gossip, backbiting, eating disorders, cutting, name calling, labeling, prejudice, and low self-image.

A series of games draws attention to their differences, where they realize just how "the same" they really are.

Audience members will be encouraged to think twice about themselves and the value of others.



Homeward Bound Theatre Company's "Teens to Teens" Outreach, is a non-profit, 501-C3, professional performing arts organization, committed to providing teens with choices that will help them improve their self-confidence and self-esteem. With this strong self concept, they can make better choices for themselves and resist the negative pressures they face each day of their lives.

"Teens to Teens" Outreach program is a group of young people sharing drama productions and sketches about various issues facing today's teenagers; such as premarital sex, teen pregnancy, teen violence, drugs & alcohol, peer pressure, family life, and other contemporary issues. Members have been professionally trained as actors, peer facilitators, and public speakers on current topics that are negatively affecting our country's youth.

An interactive discussion following each performance, provides time during which teens can relate to teens about their issues, questions, feelings, and concerns, as well as helping them in dealing with the pressures and challenges of today's world.